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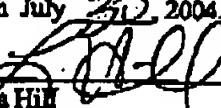
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

*OK to enter PTD 9/24/04*  
In response to the final Office Action mailed May 5, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.